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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of)	
Mark C. Estes et al.)	Examiner: unknown
Serial No. 10/624,389)	
Filed: July 22, 2003)	Group Art Unit: unknown
For: SYSTEM FOR PROVIDING BLOOD)	
GLUCOSE MEASUREMENTS TO AN)	
INFUSION DEVICE)	

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Mail Stop Missing Parts
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450


Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.136, applicant respectfully petitions the Commissioner for a one-month extension of time, extending from November 4, 2003 to December 4, 2003 the period for response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application dated September 4, 2003. The responsive papers are enclosed.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fee insufficiency (or credit any overpayment) to Deposit Account No. 50-0621. A copy of this petition is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

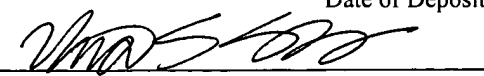
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